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PROYECTO VALLE DE NACÓ
CATALOG FORM

DATE: 16-12-96

LOT NUMBER: 17SH/15

SUBSTANCE: Stone, ground

OBJECT: Mano

CATALOG #: 17SH/15-1

MULTIPLES? ☒ NO

DRAWN BY: J

CATALOGED BY: J

PASTE GROUP:

CENSER FORM CODE:

EXCAVATOR:

HGT/LENGTH: 14cm.

WIDTH: 6.2cm.

THICKNESS: 5.7cm.

DIAMETER:

VERBAL DESCRIPTION: This is an intact - broken mano.

If broken, it is an end - media section.

The 1st finished end - broken end is chipped (as a manufacturing process) - pecked - not ground down at all - ground only on the highest parts - moderately ground - ground smooth - chipped (as in broken) - battered/crushed - used as a pestle or pounder.

The junction of the finished end with the side is sharp - rounded.

The 1st finished end - broken end has a round - oval - square - rectangular - other (describe) cross-section. 5-sided

The end measures 6.25 cm by 5.9 cm.

The 2nd finished end - broken end is chipped (as a manufacturing process) - pecked - not ground down at all - ground only on the highest parts - moderately ground - ground smooth - chipped (as in broken) - battered/crushed - used as a pestle or pounder.

The junction of the 2nd end with the side is sharp - rounded.

The 2nd finished - broken end has a round - oval - square - rectangular - other (describe) cross-section. 5-sided

The end measures 6.25 cm by 6.3 cm.

In general, the side of the mano is lightly ground on the highest parts - moderately ground - smooth - glossy - slick.

If the surface is heavily used, slick, and/or glossy, the shine does - does not continue to the edge.

There are are not facets or flattened planes present on the sides.

If present, no - 1 2 more than 2 facet(s) is clearly the working/most used facet.

There is is not a lengthwise curvature.

The material used to make this mano is vesicular basalt - volcanic tuff - limestone - granite - other (describe).

If basalt, the item is very - moderately - lightly porous.

Drawn - Not drawn. One end looks like it was used for pounding.

